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## OLLA PODRIDA.

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Have Her Majesty's men ceased to be jealous of one another?—A small room seems so, to judge from the tributes which the Duke of Wellington, Mr. Lewis Morris has sung his praise in an ode the other day. Mr. Alfred Austin follows suit in the poem published in the Spectator. Mr. Andrew de Vere, who is almost Lord Teviot's equal in age, is a close friend of his; and, with the one poet of the day whose work will be known to all, he has written a poem together, along with his own. Mr. Beauchamp, Lord Teviot's son, has long been on the most friendly terms.

Magistrates do not always keep distinct in their own minds the various functions they have to perform. A friend of ours, while taking his holiday on the Continent, dropped in at the Municipality of a provincial town during a performance of the civil rite of marriage, and was received with a hearty welcome by the Mayor and Mille. Chose, do you happen to take, Mr. Queen, here present, for your wedding instead? The young lady signified assent. M. le Maire, turning to the bridegroom, and forgetting for the moment the immediate official duty he was performing said: "Prisoner at the bar, what have you to say in your defense?"

An interesting case is now on trial, says a correspondent in Paris. A Frenchman will shed light on the pecuniary value of the human heart. In a printing office a case of human organs was found, and buried a boy's face half-buried, destroying his skin. The doctor undertook to graft new outside on the bare spots; and actually planted 28 inches into the skin of his face. When the job was done, the medical man sent in a bill for \$2,000, and the boy's parents paid him dollars a square inch for the new skin. The boy's employer refused to pay, and a Court is now sitting in hearing testimony on the nice point whether the human heart is worth so much. Settled rules on this and cognate questions are much to be desired. In some States, the law fixes \$50,000 as the value of a human life when destroyed by accident, but a man may recover more for the loss of his eyes or legs; and ladies have got as much as \$50,000 for a loss which is sometimes borne without repining.

The Paris *Matin* declares that a lady of good family, after a ride in the Exhibition, has come to Paris with one of these donkey boys, and has given the young man to understand that she viewed him with anything but indifference, and asked him to enter her service. Another boy, who understood French sufficiently, acted as interpreter. The astonished and delighted Egyptian entered into the spirit of the thing and signed his name to the contract which admitted him to the Exhibition. The lady applied to the police for a writ of habeas corpus, and released the boy. The Commissioner pointed out that the two boys were the property of the King; and as he persisted with the lady, who, however, would not listen to reason, The Commissioner observed that the boy could bring nothing but disgrace upon the lady, but he would report the matter and see what could be done. Since that day letters from the lady come thick and fast, indicating impatiently where the Commission will be in a position to deliver her to her lawless boy!

The purchaser of the old iron-of-war *Adventure*, lying at the League Island navy yard, has, says the *Philadelphia Record*, discovered that he has a much richer prize than he at first suspected, although rival bidders from all parts of the Union had offered to pay the Government \$37,000 for a public vessel which could get possession of the hull. The *Adventure* now lies on the day's work system common in the Navy Department some years ago at the old navy yard pier, now the property of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and when the yard was abandoned the *Adventure* was towed to the dock situated at League Island, where she had been used for storage, and the lower hold full of water. No one really knew what she was in her, although the records of the Navy Department gave a slight clue of what had been stored in her hold since her arrival at the island. When the order came for the abandonment of the old yard, 14 years ago, many huge anchors, weighing many thousands of pounds, and other metals, and fathoms of chain, which had been used in the construction of the hull, were hurriedly gathered up and thrown into the hold of the *Adventure*, where they have lain undisturbed until taken out by the recent purchaser. Although it is not accurately known how much metal has been taken out of the hull, the navy yard officials say that for three weeks a wagon train has been carrying away heavy metal, and the price which has been sold a high price, realizing \$100,000 to \$120,000 dollars. It is proposed to cut a ditch to the back channel, and an attempt will be made to tow the vessel out into deep water and to Crow Bay, Long Island, where she will be hauled, and the copper in her hull saved.

There is (says *Yale's Envoy*) a history attached to one of the wedding gifts accepted by the Prince of Wales on behalf of Princess Louise, that is characteristic of the keen interest felt by the Queen in anything connected with India that it deserves to be recorded. Southern India has long been known for its Swami Jewellery; but the pieces of typical Swami ornaments seen to our eye are frequently of Indian work, and bear no resemblance to the original. We learn from the difficulty an energetic Parson—Mr. Pramse Pestonjee Bhau—determined to refine Swami carvings so that, while retaining its really distinctive features, it should be in accordance with the best efforts of the London goldsmiths. He visited England, carefully took heed of what was done there, and returning to India set to work to carry out his ideas. One thing was one that Mr. Pramse learned here, in addition to acquiring ideas of carving, and that was to make anything "go," it must become the fashion, and that the surest way of becoming fashionable was to win a royal seal of approval. Accordingly Mr. Pramse, having got back to India, went to Windsor, told the Queen of his project, and obtained her consent, and appointed him her special jeweller for Indian art-jewellery. This powerfully encouraged Mr. Pramse to return to his own land full of the news of the kindness of the Empress, and raised great enthusiasm for the person of the Sovereign among his fellow-workers. Now comes the postscript of the story. No sooner was the intelligence of the Queen's consent reached the ears of the *Envoy* than he returned to India, and presented his new special jewels to the Queen, who, in addition to showing them her approbation of the deep obligation they owe the Queen, arranged that Mr. Pramse, as their representative, should present a magnificently carved casket to the happy bride. Mr. Pramse hastened to London with the casket, and appeals to the Queen for guidance. The Queen intended sending it back to India, but the *Envoy* insisted that the casket must be accepted, with the result that the casket was accepted, and turned it to the anteroom with the explanation that "the editor regrets that he is unable to avail himself of the enclosed manuscript."

It is well known that editors are "sly, sly, droll, droll." The *Envoy* of course, did not let his master's hill "under consideration," for he had the manuscript turned to the anteroom with the explanation that "the editor regrets that he is unable to avail himself of the enclosed manuscript."

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cases preserves, 20 cases woodware, 10 boxes waste  
silk, and 40 packages sundries.

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Quotations are—  
New Malwa.....\$70 per picul, alike, of  
14 to 14 catties.  
Old Malwa.....\$600 per picul, alike, of  
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Older Malwa.....\$640 to \$650 per cwt.  
Pata (New).....\$350  
Bonars (New).....\$325

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EXTRACTION.

Bank Bills, on demand.....\$258

Credits, at 6 months' sight.....\$324

ON BEIJING.—  
Bank Bills, on demand.....\$743

Credits, at 6 days' sight.....\$76

ON BOMBAY.—  
Telegraphic Transfer.....\$244

Bank Bills, on demand.....\$225

ON CALCUTTA.—  
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Bank, on demand.....\$25

ON SHANGHAI.—  
Bank at sight.....\$72

Private, 30 days' sight.....\$224

SOVEREIGNS.....\$435

SHAKESPEARE.

Company, Paid up.....\$1,255

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Banks—  
Hongkong & Shai.....\$1,255  
New Oriental.....\$1,250

China Sugar.....\$500

China Lead.....\$24

Chittagong & Co. ....\$240

Darvel Bay Trading.....\$220

Fairfax & Co., G. ....\$220

Hall & C. ....\$220

H. & K. Wharf & G. ....\$220

H. Steam Laundry.....\$220

H. & P. Dock.....\$220

Hotels—  
Asia Arms.....\$225

Hongkong Hotel.....\$210

Hotel Royal.....\$210

Insurance—  
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are hereby notified that the cargo is being dis-  
charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Ge-  
dows of the Undersigned; in both cases it will  
be at Consignee's risk. The cargo will be ready  
for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after  
the 25th inst.

Goods undelivered after the 25th inst.

will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods

must be sent to the Godowns, where they will be  
examined at 11 A.M. 24th inst.

BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

Agents.  
Hongkong, 17th September, 1889. [1895]

## TO BE LET.

## NOTICE.

## MAT HOUSE AT THE PEAK.

AN AIRY & WELL-FURNISHED  
HOUSE.

A PORTION of "BEACONFIELD ARCADE,"  
"BISNEE VILLA," FOOTHILL ROAD, HONGKONG,  
is available for Picnic, week-end, or days.

The entrance fee is £10 per day.

The entrance fee for the Two Stories is £30 per month.

The entrance fee for the Three Stories is £50 per month.

The entrance fee for the Four Stories is £70 per month.

The entrance fee for the Five Stories is £90 per month.

The entrance fee for the Six Stories is £110 per month.

The entrance fee for the Seven Stories is £130 per month.

The entrance fee for the Eight Stories is £150 per month.

The entrance fee for the Nine Stories is £170 per month.

The entrance fee for the Ten Stories is £190 per month.

The entrance fee for the Eleven Stories is £210 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twelve Stories is £230 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirteen Stories is £250 per month.

The entrance fee for the Fourteen Stories is £270 per month.

The entrance fee for the Fifteen Stories is £290 per month.

The entrance fee for the Sixteen Stories is £310 per month.

The entrance fee for the Seventeen Stories is £330 per month.

The entrance fee for the Eighteen Stories is £350 per month.

The entrance fee for the Nineteen Stories is £370 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty Stories is £390 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-one Stories is £410 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-two Stories is £430 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-three Stories is £450 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-four Stories is £470 per month.

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The entrance fee for the Twenty-six Stories is £510 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-seven Stories is £530 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-eight Stories is £550 per month.

The entrance fee for the Twenty-nine Stories is £570 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty Stories is £590 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-one Stories is £610 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-two Stories is £630 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-three Stories is £650 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-four Stories is £670 per month.

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The entrance fee for the Thirty-six Stories is £710 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-seven Stories is £730 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-eight Stories is £750 per month.

The entrance fee for the Thirty-nine Stories is £770 per month.

The entrance fee for the Forty Stories is £790 per month.

The entrance fee for the Forty-one Stories is £810 per month.

The entrance fee for the Forty-two Stories is £830 per month.

The entrance fee for the Forty-three Stories is £850 per month.

The entrance fee for the Forty-four Stories is £870 per month.

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The entrance fee for the Fifty Stories is £990 per month.

The entrance fee for the Fifty-one Stories is £1,010 per month.

The entrance fee for the Fifty-two Stories is £1,030 per month.

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